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TITLE OF INVENTION NOVEL WATER-SOLUBLE FULLERENE, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME A							
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US							
Yasuhiko Tabata, Masatoshi Yamada and Akira Masuda Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:							
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2. 🔲 1	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.						
3. 🔲 1	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.						
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	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).						
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6. X	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).						
	a. X is attached hereto.						
	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
7. X	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))						
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8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).						
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12. 🔲	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.						
13. 🗔	A preliminary amendment.						
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17.	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.						
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The above-identified applicants enclose for filing the national phase of a PCT patent application (PCT/JP2005/006271) entitled "NOVEL WATER-SOLUBLE FULLERENE, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME AND ACTIVE OXYGEN GENERATOR CONTAINING THE FULLERENE". Said attached PCT patent application includes (1) Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (3-Pages);(2) Translation of the International Application into English: 44-Page Specification (including 4-Pages of Claims (23) and 1-Page Abstract) and 4-sheets of A4 size drawings; (3) Check in the amount of \$1590.00 in payment of the Filing Fee; (4) Copy of the International Search Report (3-Pages); and (5) Copy of the Notification Concerning Submission of Priority Documents (Form PCT/IB/304)(1-Page).

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